

In the Social Realm

Chautauqua Park Club.
The Chautauqua Park Club held a busy session last Friday afternoon at Chautauqua hall. The club is preparing for a busy winter.

W. C. T. U.

The W. C. T. U. extends an urgent invitation to strangers in the city and visitors to attend their meeting which will be held tomorrow afternoon in the Methodist church. Entrance may be gained at the north door. All members are requested to be present.

Missionary Society.

The Women's Missionary Society of the Methodist church enjoyed a profitable meeting Friday afternoon in the church parlors. Study of the new missionary book was commenced. There was a goodly attendance of ladies of the church and their friends.

Study Political Questions.

The East Side Chautauqua Circle met at the library early in the week to study up and review the official manual circulated by the state regarding political and municipal features, preliminary to the general election, in which the ladies are taking a great deal of interest. Mrs. A. W. Boslough is president and Miss Lillian Patterson secretary-treasurer.

Wednesday Club.

The Wednesday Club will meet with Mrs. J. S. Parson, 138 North Main street, Wednesday afternoon, October 11, at 2:30 o'clock. Mrs. T. H. Johnson and Miss Gladys Carnahan will assist in entertaining. Work is well under way for a big bazaar, and a full attendance is desired.

For Pleasure of Visitor.

A very pretty party was given last Friday afternoon by Mrs. V. O. N. Smith complimentary to her mother.

Mrs. Lundy

NEW-BONE CORSETS
730-W 11th St. Medford
Ashland Thursdays, The Austin

Mrs. George Siemantel, who is visiting here from Canadian, Texas. Needlework furnished an informal and pleasant diversion until 4:30, when the guests were invited to the dining room, where a dainty pink and white luncheon was served. The table decorations were especially attractive. Crystal candlesticks hold pink candles with pink shades stood at each end of the table and a large pink basket filled with pink and white candles made a pretty centerpiece. Individual mint baskets stood at each plate and small paper chairs bearing the names of the guests and a friendship verse served as novel place cards. The hostess was assisted during the afternoon by her sister, Miss Margaret Siemantel.

Those who enjoyed the afternoon included the honor guest and Mesdames J. W. McCoy, W. W. Caldwell, L. W. Herrick, W. E. Newcombe, O. F. Carson, Clark Bush, T. N. Smith, J. D. McRae, George A. Briscoe, B. A. Hinthorne, N. Thompson, M. C. Reed, Engle and J. H. Turner.

Dorcas Society.

The Dorcas Society met at the home of Mrs. George McAllister, on Gresham street, Thursday. Plans were discussed for future work, after which a game of art was played and dainty refreshments served. Those present were Mesdames Walker, Beebe, Mellinger, Radifer, Peachey, Haskins, Buck, Webber, Wright and McAllister, and Misses Maud Hawley, May Benedict and Vera Wright.

The next meeting will be held at Mrs. Walker's home, 399 Beach street.

Loud Cheers.

As a prelude to Rally day, which occurred Sunday, the Baptist church young people held a rally social Friday night in the church rooms, the affair, to use the words of an eyewitness, being "the liveliest church social or any other kind of social I ever went to." Upon arrival the one hundred and thirty or more guests were divided into four sections and given badges to represent the four colleges: Harvard, Yale, University of Oregon, and Princeton. Rooting sections were organized and amid uproarious cheering and rooting and

partizan urging, an indoor track meet was held. All of the standard events from the "standing broad smile" to the "back-hammer throw" were featured, and the winning team of Harvard was carried from the field of honor and presented with a big pennant. Following the excitement of the contest the rooters and track teams alike settled down to the enjoyment of a typical outdoor feed of weinies, sandwiches, coffee and the like.

Harvest Dance to Be Old-Fashioned.

The harvest dance which is being planned by the Auxiliary Club is to be an old-fashioned country dance. Bungalow aprons, middy blouses, old-fashioned dresses are to be worn by the ladies, and overalls and the like by the men. Ball dresses and stiff collars will be taboo. The harvest moon will be there in all its glory, and anyone who does not plan to attend is making a mistake.

Hard Times.

The Auxiliary Club will hold a "hard times" party together with their regular meeting tonight, the affair being for club members only. Everything will be hard times except the refreshments, and anyone wearing jewelry or anything but hard times clothes will be fined. The hostesses are Mrs. Clark Bush, Mrs. M. E. Briggs and Mrs. A. W. Boslough.

Birthday Party.

Mrs. C. W. Fraley, on Mountain avenue, gave a birthday party October 3 in honor of Miss Lena Burton's next birthday. Music and games furnished the entertainment of the afternoon. Those present were Virginia Jones, Ines and Zella Monroe, Alene Inlow, Fay Harrington, Inez Wolters, Lena Burton and Paul Jones. After delicious refreshments the little folks departed wishing Miss Lena many more happy birthdays.

Breakfast and Work.

A 10 o'clock breakfast on the picnic order was served at Mrs. Caroline Schuermann's, 214 C street, on Wednesday morning, the occasion being a meeting of the Siskiyou division of the Wednesday Afternoon Club, the members of which are already making a lot of fancy work for a holiday bazaar. The menu included a rare assortment of breakfast foods requisitioned from fifteen individual lunch baskets, the ladies being summoned from refreshment to labor promptly at 11 a. m., foregoing even a brief recess at the noonday hour.

Entertains Medford Guild.

The Trinity Guild of Ashland entertained St. Mark's Guild of Medford Thursday afternoon from 2 until 5. Progressive five hundred was played, after which a two-course luncheon was served. Those present from Medford were: Mrs. R. W. Pollnetz, Mrs. E. A. Welch, Mrs. Ed Trowbridge, Mrs. William Budge, Mrs. Glenn Fabrick, Mrs. J. C. Mann, Mrs. Ed Soutter, Mrs. R. E. Swan, Mrs. D. Russell, Mrs. C. B. Watkins, Mrs. H. D. Corlies, Mrs. C. E. Strang, Mrs. Roger S. Bennett, Miss Lou Rundlett, Mrs. S. McKee, Mrs. R. D. Hoke, Mrs. R. Rowland, Mrs. Lydia Andrews, Mrs. R. W. Clancy and Rev. and Mrs. W. B. Hamilton.

The parish house was gaily decorated with autumn flowers and foliage, the luncheon was most dainty, and, in fact, every feature of the affair reflected credit on the committee in charge, which was composed of Mesdames Loosley, chairman, Hedberg, Bevington and Cole.

Flury-Lunt.

Henry P. Flury and Mrs. Etta G. Lunt were married Saturday, October 7, at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Reed on Scenic Drive. The ceremony was witnessed by a small circle of friends, including Mrs. Katherine Price of Brooklyn, N. Y., who is spending the summer with her sister, Mrs. Flury, Mrs. A. C. Maddox of Medford and Mr. and Mrs. James E. Weaver of Talent.

After a wedding luncheon at the Hotel Austin Mr. and Mrs. Flury left by auto for northern California, where they will spend a few days. Both are well known in southern Oregon and their many friends unite in good wishes. They will be at home after October 15.

Pleasant Surprise.

Mr. and Mrs. John King and Miss Bess York were host and hostess at a pleasant surprise party, given in honor of Miss Louise Homes at her home, Saturday evening, October 7. Miss Homes will be leaving soon for Oakland, Cal., where she expects to spend the winter. Dancing and music furnished amusement for the evening, after which a bountiful supper was served. Those present were: Misses Helene Eake, Helen Walker, Nellie Perry, Mary, Alleen, Alice and Aleta Walker, Eunice and Amy Grubb, Maud and Bess York, Irene Hibbs, the Messrs. Charlie Moore,

Million-Dollar Movie Next Week

On October 16 and 17 the wonder feature, "Civilization," comes to the Vining Theatre for a two days' engagement. The Evening Telegram of Portland on September 2 had the following article:

"Anti-War Film Will Stay Another Week."

"Civilization," the spectacular and convincing sermon for civilization as against war, which has been running two weeks at the Hellig Theatre, will stay for another week in Portland. It is probable this will be the last week of the film, which has been proclaimed the greatest achievement in motion picture photography and plot writing since the moving picture became an institution.

"The film has been one of the greatest successes of moving pictures yet produced, not alone in Portland, but in all other cities where it has shown. It is a large entertainment; inspired by a purpose and representing \$1,000,000 outlay and a year and a half in time for the production.

"From a spectacular viewpoint 'Civilization' is a wonder play. It combines all that has been evolved in motion picture art and at the same time brings the essence of grand opera and the essentials of the speaking stage into play. The picture as it has thrilled and entertained thousands during the last two weeks at the Hellig is combined with a veritable grand opera score, written by the brilliant young composer, Victor L. Schertzinger, 40 speaking actors in an impressive prologue and an orchestral and pipe organ accompaniment. The releasing of a flock of doves at the close of the performance is a unique novelty.

"Basically the photoplay deals with war, and Thomas H. Ince, the producer, has provided a war setting far ahead of any other attempted by motion picture geniuses. The scenes approach reality of war more nearly than it was believed possible. Warships in battle, submarines in action, torpedoes plowing through the water, trench fighting, the wrecking of an ocean liner, engagements between whole armies, a naval encounter between opposing fleets, an aerial battle, industrial destruction in the wake of land battle—all these and many more thrilling and impressive incidents are gathered together into the picture, through which runs a most appealing love story and a pretty picture of mother love. One can never forget Baby Reed in 'Civilization' once it is seen.

"The third week promises to be a large one, as the advance seat sale shows a growing interest in the picture. A request has been filed with the management of the picture to set aside a block of seats in the gallery at reduced prices for some of the poorer families who have not yet seen the film.

"That the theatre patrons of the city appreciate the coming of this attraction is evinced by the number of requests to the theatre management for seat reservations."

Orville Gains, Guy and Merritt Randless, Victor York, Frank and Clarence Homes, Mesdames John King, Jim Tucker, Lloyd Moore and Charlie Homes.

Motors to S. F. and Weds.

Miss Angeline Neil, daughter of L. A. Neil of Ashland and one of the most popular young ladies of the city, was married in San Francisco last Thursday to Arthur King of Hilt. After a honeymoon in the south the couple will make their home at Hilt. The San Francisco Examiner tells as follows of the marriage.

"Miss Angeline Neil of Ashland, Ore., was married yesterday at the First Methodist Episcopal church to Arthur C. King, formerly of Newark, N. J., and lately of Hilt, Cal. Accompanied by her father, who is a wealthy land owner, and by the bridegroom, Miss Neil motored down from Oregon to this city, and was married the day following her arrival. The bridegroom is a brother of Hamilton King, New York artist. His uncle, Hamilton King Sr., was for many years American ambassador at the court of the king of Siam. Mr. and Mrs. King are at the Stewart Hotel."

Grants Pass to Have New Court House

Josephine county is to have a new court house, bids having been asked for the construction of a new county capitol at Grants Pass. The estimated cost of the new building is \$75,000 and the architect is E. E. McClaren of Portland. The new building will be erected upon the site now occupied by the present court house.

Cliff Payne makes china closets.

VINING TUESDAY--One Day Only Edna Goodrich

World's Famous Beauty

in

"THE MAKING OF MADDALENA"

The story of a beautiful Italian model who marries a young American.

PATHE NEWS

WEDNESDAY--Big Double Bill!

Blanche Sweet

in 'The Thousand Dollar Husband'

A play brimming over with good things.

Also

Fatty Arbuckle

in "The Bright Lights"

Everybody likes Fatty and everybody will want to see this Comedy—the best Keystone ever made

Come Early

Regular Admission

New Club Office Invites a Visit

Next time you are down town, walk around the corner past the recorder's office in the city hall. Walk toward the park along the side of the city hall until a big gold sign, "Ashland Commercial Club," stops you. Then enter the classiest little office in Ashland. Don't hesitate to enter. Although there is no welcome sign hung over the door, the welcome air pervades the place and you will feel at home. And you ought to feel at home, for it is yours, or if it isn't, it ought to be. Before long it will be, because a new spirit is imbuing the Commercial Club and gathering weight as the movement grows. Pretty soon none of us can hold aloof, but will be swept into the club by the irresistible pull of one hundred and fifty men working together to increase their number to three hundred and fifty. But even if you are not a member and have no intention of joining, visit the office anyway. You will be welcomed. It is the intention of the club and it has already become manifest that this office in the city hall is going to become the clearing house for the projects and activities of the community. The farmers are getting the habit of dropping in upon every visit to town. The daily papers and the late magazines are there, comfortable easy chairs and someone to put you in touch with the latest tendencies of the times.

And say, the ladies are just as welcome as the men. And that office with its harmonious tints, soft rugs and draperies will appeal to the ladies.

Just a brief description, but be sure to see it for yourself as its complete harmony is its chief charm: A large plate glass window takes up the front end of the office, with just room for a door on the side. Another smaller window at the rear admits still more light, and the 14 by 28 room is abundantly supplied with light. A large sign which will rarely escape the eye of the passing tourists announces the office to be the home of the "Ashland Commercial Club," with "Information Bureau" in smaller letters.

Inside, the room is done in harmonious shades of brown and tan. The walls are wainscoted and tinted tan. The furniture is oak, the best of the furniture from the old club rooms being refinished and presenting a spick and span appearance. The floor is varnished and polished and is adorned with three small rugs. Racks and shelves along one side hold the magazines, newspapers and supplies. A lavatory basin is in one of the back corners. The secretary's desk is at the rear.

An oaken writing desk which will accommodate two and which is lent by the Hotel Austin will be a much used and appreciated article. Pen, ink, stationery and envelopes and telegraph blanks are always at hand. A large plant donated by H. O. Purucker stands on a taboret in the window, and there are always flowers on the centertable. Silk draperies for the window are the last touch in artistic taste.

Well-chosen views of the city and scenes nearby adorn the walls, and a few choice specimens of processed fruit are on exhibition, but the office is being turned into a business office

rather than an exhibit building, and this feature is not overdone.

The room is heated by electricity and the latest fixtures are used with the indirect lighting system.

But, then, see it yourself.

The council chamber upstairs is also undergoing great changes and will be ready for inspection some time this week.

H. O. Purucker deserves a great deal of credit for his many hours of hard manual labor, tasteful ideas and plans in arranging the new office after moving the furniture from the old. Secretary Frank Shinn has of course been on the job every minute and H. O. Frohbach and a number of others have rendered valuable aid in giving Ashland a Commercial Club office which beats anything of its kind around these parts.

Hobo Travel at The Minimum

The hobo travel through Ashland was just about at its minimum during the month of September. Only 544 hoboes were accounted for by the police department, and but few escape the vigilant watch kept by the patrolmen. Ten hoboes were ejected from the parks.

Eleven doors were found unlocked in the patrolmen's rounds of the business houses.

Ten arrests were made during the month, about half of them for drunkenness and the other five minor misdemeanors on the part of boys, mostly.

Three dogs went to dog heaven by the gunpowder route as the last item in the police report.

School Enrollment Shows Big Increase

Ashland's schools have 56 more students enrolled this year than they had for last year's sessions. Last year's enrollment for October was 900; this year shows 956 students enrolled in the schools. There are 309 students in the six grades of the East Side school, 213 enrolled in the grades of the West Side and 196 registered in the junior high school held at the West Side building. The senior high school has 238 enrolled, the freshman class of the junior high 50, making a total of 288 students in high school courses, which far outdistances former high school registrations. Thirty-three teachers besides Superintendent Briscoe are employed in the school system of the city.

Bound to Grow

Most large business enterprises of today were begun in a small way. Proper banking facilities will help your business grow and prosper.

This modern bank gives the same careful attention to the small accounts that is furnished the larger ones—we know they will grow.

Whether small or large, we want your account.

First National Bank
ASHLAND, OREGON.
Oldest National Bank in Jackson County

Attention!

WITH the advancing prices of all foodstuffs, the White House Grocery wishes to press upon the public attention the desirability of laying in a good supply of the following articles, which have advanced in a wholesale way.

To give our customers a fair chance we will retail at present prices for one week, ending Saturday, October 14th:

H. O. Rolled Oats
All Wheat and Oat Flakes
Toasted Corn Flakes
Macaroni and Spaghetti
Corn Meal and Graham Flour
Crisco and Wesson Oils
Pancake Flour

Cream of Wheat
Shredded Whole Wheat
Toasted Wheat Flakes
Puffed Wheat and Rice
Starches and Soaps
Wheat Hearts
And many other articles too numerous to mention

Extra Special for This Week

Best Head Rice, 8c per lb.
Klamath Cheese, 10c per lb.
15c can Oysters, 10c per can.

We carry the most complete line of high-grade Teas and Coffees of any retail store in Southern Oregon

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